

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Toshiyuki INAGAKI Confirmation No. 5415
Application No.: 10/565,102
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For: THERMAL STRESS TOLERANT FUEL CELL
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RESPONSE TO JANUARY 12, 2010 OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In response to the final Office Action mailed January 12, 2010, and in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 in the above-identified application, the Applicant respectfully submits the following with a one-month extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.